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NSC Executive Committee Record of Action, November 8, 1962, 4:30 PM Meeting No. 23

- 1. A press release was discussed and approved which, summarizes our current knowledge of the removal from Cuba of Soviet missiles and related equipment.
- 2. There was a discussion of: (a) long-term surveillance requirements; (b) courses of action in the event a U.S. reconnaissance plane is shot at or destroyed; and (c) ways to keep pressure on Castro other than by reinstituting the quarantine.
- 3. Secretary McNamara reported there was no reaction to today's aerial reconnaissance mission. Tomorrow's missions were authorized comprising five U-2 flights and ten low-level flights.

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